

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application Number: 10/571,277	Confirmation Number: 6053				
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	Group Art Unit: 1633					
	Examiner: Maria Gomez Leavitt					
	Attorney Docket Number: 09707.0009-00					
<p>This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.</p> <p>Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.</p> <p>1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment.</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____. ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Amendment After Final previously filed on July 13, 2009 <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> DO NOT ENTER the amendment(s) previously filed on _____. An alternate submission is attached.</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed submission:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">i. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply</td> <td style="width: 50%;">iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)</td> <td>iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</td> </tr> </table> <p>2. Miscellaneous</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> <p>3. Fees</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> The filing fee is calculated as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$405.00 (small entity) RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Petition for extension of time for (____ Months) \$____ iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment in the amount of <u>\$405.00</u> is enclosed.</p> <p>c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in the filing fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 06-0916.</p>			i. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply	iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)	iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
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